

DOWNPATRICK LATEST VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES

SERC Downpatrick - Community Radio Volunteers

FM105 Down Community Radio is seeking individuals or groups for a variety of volunteering roles within the organisation. These roles include - but are not limited to -



- * On-air presentation,
- * Production,
- * Planning, Content and Show preparation,
- * Administration,
- * Fundraising.

Rosie's Trust - Animal Lovers Needed

Rosie's Trust assists and supports individuals who are struggling to care for their companion pets, as a result of illness or disability. Rosie's Trust are currently seeking to build upon their team of volunteers in Newry and surrounding areas to help support pet owners with practical tasks. All our volunteers go through an application process, including Access NI and Reference checks, and a Rosie's Trust Induction. Volunteers are fully supported throughout their volunteering experience.



Caring Communities Safe & Well – Befriending Volunteer



The Caring Communities Safe and Well Service offer a Volunteer Befriender to an older person who is socially isolated and feels lonely, is 65+ years, living independently in the South Eastern Health & Social Trust area. The Volunteer Befriender can support an older person with a chat and companionship, to attend a local social group and a volunteer driver to attend appointments.

Catholic Guides of Ireland - Volunteer Leaders

CGI is a voluntary organisation operating in both the Republic and Northern Ireland. It is open to all girls and women regardless of religion. We have sections throughout Northern Ireland and need volunteer leaders to help with



- * Cygnet Guides (5-6yrs)
- * Brigin Guides (6-11yrs)
- * Guides (11-17yrs)
- * Ranger Guides (14-19yrs)

All ages are welcome and you don't need to have any prior experience of Guiding as we provide a full range of training .



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Marie Curie - Various Roles



Volunteer Driver - If you're sociable and welcoming as well as enjoy driving then you would be a great asset to our team at the hospice.

Day Hospice Volunteers - In this varied and fulfilling role you will have the opportunity to get involved in the heart of the Day Therapy Unit of the hospice.

Macmillan Cancer Support - Community Helper

This role involves listening and talking to people with/affected by cancer which may help to reduce their isolation, increase their confidence and self-esteem and support them to develop social networks. The role could also include practical support with household tasks such as shopping, vacuuming, laundry, ironing, light gardening tasks or even dog-walking. Activities will be agreed with the individual service-user and volunteer.



Action On Elder Abuse - Helpline Volunteer

Volunteers required to take calls from their own home on a rota basis. Each shift will be 4 hours in duration on one day per week between Monday and Friday 9am to 5pm. You will be provided with full training and support, call-handling equipment, and ongoing support and guidance from our staff and other volunteers. Out-of-pocket expenses covered. Certificates given on completion of training.



SureStart - Parent Support Volunteer

Volunteers required to assist SureStart staff to ensure the smooth running of activities in a caring and stimulating environment. The volunteer role will include: ensuring all areas, equipment and play materials are prepared and stored on a daily basis. Participating in children's events, outings, or visits. Assist children at snack times. Ensure all children and parents are warmly greeted. **An appropriate Disclosure Certificate is required for this role.**



What would you like to do?



There's lots of volunteering opportunities on www.volunteernow.co.uk and there's sure to be something that suits you!

Click 'Search for Volunteering Opportunities' on our homepage and then use 'Filter by' to select the type of activity you would be interested in. When you apply for an opportunity, the organisation will come back to you with more details.

Not sure what type of volunteering you want to do? Simply enter your location and change the distance to 5 miles (leave all the other filters blank) - this will show you everything currently available in your area.

Need a hand to find or register for an opportunity? Call us on **028 9023 2020** or email opportunities@volunteernow.co.uk

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